

Communications and Stories Volunteer



What will you do?

Support the Communications Officer to reach internal and external audiences so they know what is happening at Citizens Advice in West Sussex, who we are and our values as a charity. This may include one or all of the following depending on what you want to get out of it:

Create social media content, posters and flyers.

Speak with clients to write compelling case stories.

Create videos, photography and other resources to reach new audiences.

Help write blogs, media stories.

Update the intranet and share good news stories amongst the charity.

Attend and promote us at events.



What is in it for you?

Make a real difference to people's lives.

Learn about a range of issues such as benefits, debt, employment and housing.

Build on valuable skills such as communication, and problem solving, and increase your employability.

Work with a range of different people, independently, in a team and within your local community.

Have a positive impact in your community And we'll reimburse expenses too.



What do you need to have? You don't need specific qualifications or skills but you'll need to:

Be friendly and approachable.

be non-judgmental and respect views, values and cultures that are different to your own

have a positive attitude towards fundraising

have excellent verbal and written communication skills

have good IT skills

be willing to learn about and follow the Citizens Advice aims, principles and policies, including confidentiality and data protection

be willing to undertake training in your role.



How much time do you need to give?

We can be flexible about the time spent and how often you volunteer so come and talk to us.

Valuing inclusion

Our volunteers come from a range of backgrounds and we particularly welcome applications from racially minoritised people/people of colour, disabled people, people with physical or mental health conditions, LGBTQ+ and non-binary people.

If you are interested in becoming a fundraising volunteer and would like to discuss flexibility around location, time, 'what you will do' and how we can support you please contact us.



Contact details

Apply via our website www.adviceinwestsussex.org.uk/volunteering

If you have any questions about the role email volunteer@westsussexcab.org.uk

